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As named inventor(s), I or we hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. David L King Registration No. 33,925 Nancy T Krawczyk Registration No. 38,744 Alvin T Rockhill Registration No. 30,417 Bruce J Hendricks Registration No. 30,262 John D DeLong Registration No. 44,648 I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statement may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.				
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